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Attorney's Docket No. 22-0675/30639

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appln. No. 10/694,105)
First Named Applicant: JIMMY H. BRYAN)
Filed: October 27, 2003)
For: ADAPTABLE ELECTRIC ACCESSORY SYSTEM FOR)
CONTAINERS, RECEPTACLES, AND THE LIKE)
TC/A.U.: 2875)
Examiner: Lee, Guiyoung)

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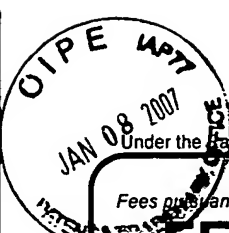
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

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Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180
Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)
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Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)
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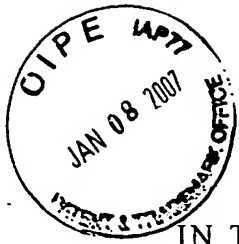
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

This statement is filed under the provisions of Rule 1.56.

With regards to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

This information is being submitted subsequent to the mailing of a first Office Action or Notice of Allowance for the present application.

No representation is made that a reference is "prior art" within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §§102 and 103 and Applicants reserve the right, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 or otherwise, to establish that the reference(s) are not "prior art." Moreover, Applicants do not represent that a reference has been thoroughly reviewed or that any relevance of any portion of a reference is intended.

This information is being provided to satisfy the requirements of Rule 56. Consideration of the items listed is not being formally requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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